

CLASSIFICATION OFFICE DECISION

Title of publication: The Adventures of Jolie Pop

Other known title(s): Chapter 1 In The Adventures of Jolie Pop In which Jolie discovers her talents

OFLC ref: 2000330.076

Medium: Text File

Maker: Not stated

Country of origin: Not stated

Language: English

Applicant: Commissioner of Police

Classification:	Objectionable.
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Descriptive note: None

Display conditions: None

Date of entry in Register: 25 November 2020

Date of direction to issue a label: No direction to issue a label has been issued

Date of notice of decision: 24 November 2020

Summary of reasons for decision:

The text file is an amateur story that details a man's violent and coercive sexual abuse of a young teenaged girl. It is deemed objectionable because it promotes and supports the exploitation of children for sexual purposes and the use of violence and coercion to compel a person to participate in, or submit to, sexual conduct. It is intended to arouse those with these sexual interests. An objectionable classification interferes with the right to freedom of expression as expressed in the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990 but this is an outcome that is consistent with Parliament's intention that publications falling under s3(2) of the Films, Videos, and Publications Classification Act 1993 be deemed objectionable. It also reflects the concerns of a free and democratic society to protect its young and vulnerable members from exploitation.